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1. In the Alsoszolnok area the border guard at Janos Hegy has 64 men in the winter and 46 in the summer. The commander is Lt. Pal Gusztav; political office, Sub Lt Istvan Toth. Alsoors has 26 men under Lt Janos Csipan. At Ezust Hegy Sic there are 24 men belonging to an AAA formation.

 Along the border there are obstructions to a depth of 300 m and the woods have been cut down so that the obstructions cannot be approached except across a clear field of fire.

3. Within a zone of 10 km from the border not only are all the papers examined, but also every individual must give the names of Communist Party members in his village as a reference. This is to prevent infiltration of the area by agents.

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